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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE ABSTRACT

Please substitute the following Abstract for the Abstract previously presented. A copy of the amended Abstract showing current revisions is attached.

(Amended) For use in designing a turbine engine, a database having a plurality of sections, each section storing one or more templates, a method of reorganizing a select template from one section to a different section within the plurality of sections includes reviewing an index file corresponding to the select template to identify a section among the plurality of sections where the select template is organized. The method further includes editing a storage location of the index file to identify a different section among the plurality of sections to reorganize the select template to the different

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